

PREYING ON INNOCENCE

**PRETTY SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD MARD
CASSKY ENTRAPPED.**

A Stranger Promises to Conduct her to her Father, but Instead Takes her to a Hotel—Her Narrow Escape—His Flight.

The three-year-old boy, whose name is not known, was nearly as he can be understood is John Hode, who was left by a stranger at the Cassinien Hotel in Tottenville, Staten Island, last Saturday night, still remains at that place. Monday morning the man who abducted the child arrived at the hotel shortly after 6 o'clock on Saturday evening, having with him, besides the boy, a young Dutch girl, who he said was his wife. He said she had just arrived on Saturday morning from Rotterdam. He registered a "Columbus and wife." Shortly after that three had been assigned to a room, where the young girl came running down stairs crying. She told Mrs. Grosejan, the hotel-keeper's wife, that the man with whom she was staying was a Dutchman, and that she was Mrs. Grosejan told her husband, and he ran up to put the man out of the house, but he had already escaped, since which time nothing has

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The stranger then said he was going to Perth Amboy, N. J., and that he had a boat for hire. He then thickly assented and they started for the Staten Island Ferry, where the man bought and paid for the tickets. The three boarded the boat and at St. George occupied seats in the smoke room. The stranger then turned to the man and told the girl that the last boat had left for Amboy and that she would have to remain at the hotel.

They then entered the Casanova Hotel, where the man told the proprietor in English that he had a party of three and that he would like a room. The man then entered the room and having taken the key, he turned to the girl and said, "I will be in the door, blew out the light in the lamp and told the young woman to go to bed. A few minutes later the man came in and was screaming down stairs. The man escaped through a rear door, leaving the girl, John H. Boyle, and the girl, who had been taken to her father, but she has received no reply from him. The man was seen to go to the Grosjean family, who were seen to go to the Grosjean family.

DOMESTICKISM IN BOSTON.

A Warrant for the Arrest of a Man Selling the Tabbed Pictures.

Boston, Nov. 22.—A young fellow named Henry J. Boyle was seen by Policeman Crane last evening selling copies of the New York Herald's pictures of the late President.

cuts of the paintings that were seized by Anthony Comstock in New York. The officer applied to Judge Curtis for a warrant to arrest Boyle for selling obscene literature. The Judge held a consultation with the District Attorney and then informed the officer that it would not be advisable to issue such a warrant as was requested. He suggested, however, that Boyle be arrested for selling on the streets without a license. Boyle was subsequently arrested on that charge, and in court to-day he was fined

A Dying Man Claims to Have Been Maliciously Burned.

Coroner Eldman was called yesterday afternoon to the Homoeopathic Hospital on Ward's Island to take the ante-mortem statement of Thomas Cruice of 222 East Sixty-fifth street, who lies in a dying condition from burns across the back received on Oct. 31, in the blacksmith shop of Rheinhardt Smith, at 106th street and First avenue. He was said to have been maliciously burned by one James Glynn. In the statement which was taken yesterday

between 12 and 1 P. M. James Glynn came into the ship and took up a poker, put it into the forge, blew the bellows, heated the poker and placed the red-hot poker against the back of his neck and shoulders and set his shirt on fire. He then took hold of me to assist me. I hollered to him, "For God's sake, let go of me. I'll pull it off." He said, "I'll burn you if you don't let me." He turned my right hand. My whole back and shoulders were also burned. I never had any trouble with Glynn before."

deceased Karl, I would go to the seafloor and let them know that I love them. I don't know whether you love me or not; with me it is no dissimulation, it is a heart-felt confession. I have never loved anyone but you, and I shall always be faithful to you; always to go with you wherever you want me, wherever I can be of use to you. I only wish you were here. The Supreme Court, on the Report of Referees' Council, has decided in favor of the divorce. I have received the divorce from Lydia H. Manning, which was granted me by the court on the 20th of January. I have married her more than twenty years ago. The marriage of Mary Ann Smith to George Elbert Chipman, who it was proved, was a legal marriage, has been annulled. The divorce of John Clement has granted James Clarke an absolute divorce from the said James Clarke. The parties had been married only a year.

Obituary.

Rev. Matthew Nicot, rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity, Boniface, died Sunday afternoon of dropsy at his residence, 304 East Forty-seventh street. Father Nicot was born in the Department of La Meurthe, Lorraine, France, in 1836, and came to this country in 1855, and was ordained to the priesthood in 1857. He was connected with the Church of St. Vincent de Paul and also with St. Ann's. The present parish of St. Boniface was created for him in 1862, and he has since that time been its pastor. He was a member of the Holy Trinity, St. Elizabeth, St. Randolph, St. Mary of the

United States Army, the father-in-law of the late Gen. George B. McClellan, died at his residence on the Orange Mountain, near Newark, last night in his 76th year. He had been gradually failing for several months. He leaves two children, Mrs. McClellan, who is in Europe, and Mrs. Dr. E. E. Clark, who was with him when he died.

The Mary Andersen Cottage Sold.
LONG BRANCH, Nov. 22.—Norman L. Munro, the New York publisher, has sold to John Harper Bonnell, also of New York, a portion of the Mary Andersen property, in Cedar avenue and Deal road, including the

house in which the actress spent a number of summers. When Mr. Munro purchased the property three years ago he moved Miss Anderson's old summer home back to the corner and erected in its place a costly villa of the latest design. He then remodelled the Anderson cottage. The latter now fronts on Deal road. A plot of less than three acres of land goes with the house. The

The Man who Murdered Haddock.
BIOWUX CITY, Nov. 22.—The sensational feature of the Armandor murder trial occurred to-day in the evidence of Benjamin Josephson and Louisa, his wife. They were delivering milk the night of the murder, and their suspicions being aroused, they watched the crowd of men gathering at Fourth and Water streets. Both knew the residents well, and both swear positively that it was he who advanced to the door and murder Sir Haddock. Their testimony corroborates that of Leavitt and Bismarck, the informers. The state rested its case at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 22—At last the official vote of the State is in. The total vote cast in 1885 was 723,963; in 1890 it was 704,233. This year the total vote reached the very large figure of 744,508, which is a large increase. The totals on the Governor are: Foraker 383,336; Denbigh 353,336; Seitz (Labor) 6,712; sharp Prohibitionists 14,520. On the Legislature, 144,508; Foraker over Powell 53,712; and a slight increase for the Prohibitionists over 1890, which

Jersey City's New School Superintendent.

The Jersey City Board of Education appointed F. Poland superintendent of Public Schools last night. He replaces A. W. Edgson, who resigned recently to accept a position as superintendent of schools at Gloucester, Massachusetts. Mr. Poland is a member of the State Board of Education, and was principal of the Essex Street High School. Principal William S. Sweetser will continue to head the Lincoln High School, and James C. Hanks, leader of Greek and Latin in the high school, will principal of the science school.

Wreck of a Lake Steamer.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Nov. 22.—The Canadian schooner Richard Moorwood, owned and commanded by Capt. McPherson of St. Catharines, struck on Grand Island, about nine miles here, and ran aground during a terrific northwester. The crew was imprisoned in the hull, and the vessel split lengthwise. They had all perished. The Moorwood was from Cleveland, and carried 2,500 barrels of oil from Cleveland for Port

Big Fire in Englewood.
The Athenaeum, a large brick building in Englewood, N. J., owned by President G. S. Coe of the American Exchange Bank, and occupied by several tenants, was destroyed yesterday morning. The cause is

was insured for \$20,000.